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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE OF RESPONDENT ECONOMIC FREEDOM FUND TO THE COMPLAINT

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This supplements the prior Response of Respondent Economic Freedom Fund (the "Response").

This supplemental brief is intended to directly address an issue regarding solicitations, raised in several recently-released MURs (MURs 5511 & 5525, 5753, and 5754). In its prior brief, the Economic Freedom Fund ("EFF") stated: "Nor did any of EFF's solicitations for funding reference any Federal candidates or elections." Response at 2 (ft. nt. 1).

Although the EFF did not submit such fundraising materials, in light of recent Commission MURs, the EFF now wishes to provide documentation (beyond that svailable on its website) that supports this statement. Attached as Exhibit 1 is the EFF's fundraising letter. Unlike the solicitations found to be problematic in MURs 5511 & 5525, 5753, and 5754, the EFF's letter contains no express advocacy, and in fact, does not even mention Federal elections or candidates in any manner whatsoever.

Because the RFF has not run afoul of the problems that confronted respondents in MURs 5511 & 5525, 5753, and 5754, the EFF renews its request that the complaint be DISMISSED.

Respectfully,

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